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Fall 1926

# Hill's Choice Evergreens

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## Dundee, Illinois—(Near Chicago)

This List Cancels All Previous Editions

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE

TERMS OF PAYMENT—1. Cash Plan: This plan earns 3% discount and free boxing. On bulky stock, boxing sometimes amounts to 6% or 8% so this plan earns a total of from 6% to 10% discount. Under this plan we book the order, reserve the stock until September 1st for Fall shipments and March 1st for Spring shipments. Bills are due on these dates and remittances must be received on or before September 1st, or March 1st, to earn the discount. 2. Partial Payment Plan: Whereby one-third amount of order is remitted in advance and the balance goes forward Freight or Express C. O. D. payable at destination. 3. Charge Account Plan: Goods will be shipped on charge account only to customers of approved credit who supply satisfactory trade and bank references allowing time for investigation. Fall shipments due December 1st. Spring shipments due June 1st.

SHIPPING SEASONS—Fall: Fall season opens as soon as we have had sufficient rain to put the ground in good condition for digging. Usually this occurs about the first week in September. The Fall season closes about November 15th. After that date the weather is usually very uncertain and ground liable to freeze solid. Spring: Spring season opens as soon as the frost is out of the ground, usually about April 1st, so we can start to dig, continuing until May 15th. By this date all stock is

too far advanced in growth to take up and transplant successfully.

CONDITIONS—We accept all orders upon condition that they shall be void should any injury befall stock from causes over which we have no control. At the moderate price at which we sell our goods we give no warranty except genuineness, expressed or implied, the purchaser assuming all risk and responsibility of the transportation, planting, growth and life of stock. Our responsibility ceases when goods are turned over to carrier. Prices do not include any guarantee as to growth.

BOXING AND PACKING—Boxing and packing will be charged for at actual cost of material used except on cash orders. We make no charge for delivery to railroad station.

RATES—Five of same variety and size at the ten rate. Fifty of the same variety and size at the 100 rate. Five hundred of the same variety and size at the 1,000 rate.

PRICES—Are limited to Fall 1926, and supersede all previous lists and ARE SUB JECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

CLAIMS—For any cause will receive consideration only when made within 5 days after the arrival of goods.

SPECIAL NOTICE—Correspondents are requested to use their printed business letterheads. This list is for the trade only and in justice to our trade customers we use every possible effort to limit distribution of trade prices to those we know to be entitled to receive them. USE PRINTED STATIONERY.

LOCATION—We are situated in Northern Illinois, on well drained, rich, fertile soil, located forty-two miles northwest of Chicago. Visitors are always welcome. For complete directions for reaching Nursery see page 28.

NOTE:—Copy of our complete retail descriptive catalog of Evergreens in colors will gladly be sent upon request. Illustrations and descriptions are accurate, authentic and true to life.



# Hill's Choice Evergreens for Lining Out

It has been our steadfast purpose for over 70 years to continually select and seek out better, hardier types; and improve existing forms. There are in almost every instance, trees and shrubs of distinctly more desirable habits, outline, color or hardiness, for those who seek them out. In our search for seeds, which we assemble from the four corners of the earth, we are continually striving to obtain stocks that are better adapted to U.S. A. conditions. Through careful selection we constantly strive to improve the strains by reproducing only those truest to type. This is a service we are proud to offer to American Nurserymen who recognize the significance of this vital matter.

Abies arizonica (Cork Fir)

Variety

One of the most striking and beautiful Evergreens. It grows tall and slender and makes an elegant specimen. The foliage is silvery blue, often surpassing the coloring of the Blue Spruce. The bark is of a corky nature and of a light cream color. We offer the true hardy type from high altitudes in Arizona. Abies Lasiocarpa, a variety sometimes offered as Arizonica, lacks many points of merit compared to the true hardy variety which we grow.

2-4 inch o 2 yr......\$..... \$11.00 4-6 inch x Once Transplanted.....

Abies balsamea (Balsam Fir)

Foliage is dark green above, silvery beneath. Rapid grower. It has always been popular on account of its "Balsam odor." The characteristic odor of the northern woods is chiefly due to this fir. The young growths are often used for making the favorite "Balsam pillows." Our seed is gathered from northern sources. Does very well in damp places.

4-6 inch x Once Transplanted..... 70.00

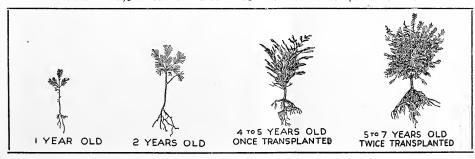
8-10 inch x Once Transplanted..... 25.0040.00 50.00 90.00 (See Pseudotsuga douglassi) page 13.

Abies homolepis (Nikko Fir)

"A handsome and promising tree in this climate (Massachusetts) is the Japanese Abies Homolepis, or as it has been more often called, Abies Brachyphylla. This is a large tree on the mountains of central Japan with dark green leaves, silvery white on the lower surface and violet purple cones. The largest specimen in the Hunnewell Pinetum is now 55 feet high with branches sweeping the ground. The Arboretum trees are smaller but already produce their handsome cones."—Arnold Arboretum. It is quite rare at present and our stock is limited. This most excellent Fir should be more generally used.

4-6 inch o 3 yr..... 12.50100.00 2-4 inch x Once Transplanted..... 20.00 175.00

> o-Indicates never transplanted. Suitable for bedding out. Each x indicates one transplanting. B&B signifies balled and burlapped.



100 Variets 1000 Abies veitchi (Veitch Fir)

Attractive slender habit, suitable for limited areas of medium height. The attractive bright, shiny green foliage is silvery white beneath so that the swaying of the branches produces a most unusual sight. It is a tree of Japanese origin discovered by John Veitch, the English Nurseryuman, in 1860 in the Japanese mountains. While it is considered hardy in the northern states somewhat sheltered positions are recommended. 4-6 inch x Once Transplanted ...... \$10.00 \$ 90.00

Cedrus atlantica (Atlas Cedar)

This variety from northern Africa is one of the few African Conifers grown in America. It is a tall, beautiful, majestic tree. The habit is slender and pyramidal. Foliage is usually silvery. Introduced into America about 1840. Some trees are decidedly bluish in color, others green.

\*2-4 inch o 1 yr..... 8.50 75.00

Cedrus deodara (Deodar Cedar)

Feathery artistic blue foliage, considered the most beautiful, ornamental Cedar for the Atlantic, Southern and Pacific Coast States. Deodar is a Hindu word, meaning Tree of the Gods. Almost unrivalled in the grandeur of its pendulous and lithe branches.

\*3-4 inch o 1 yr..... 8.50 75.00

Cedrus libani (Cedar of Lebanon)

When small the tree is of conical regularly shaped outline with wide spreading branches, but as the tree increases in age it assumes a round open head, a change from the beautiful to the picturesque. Aside from its ornamental value it is of peculiar interest for its scriptural and historical associations. It is said to be the most hardy of the Cedrus family.

\*2-4 inch o 1 yr.....

Cephalotaxus harringtonia fastigiata (Pedunculata) (Spiral Plum Yew)
Somewhat resembles the Yew or Taxus. Foliage is bright and glossy, about two and a half inches long in this variety. The fastigiate form is the most desirable in cultivation and looks very much like the Irish Yew. Although not suitable for colder sections it is a most interesting and desirable tree when it is hardy. Its excellent qualities as a hedge as well as for landscape planting makes it doubly valuable. Does well in partial shade and makes a rapid growth.

\*4-6 inch x Once Transplanted..... 25.00

Chamaecyparis pisifera plumosa (Green) (Plume Retinospora)

A small, dense tree with bright green plume-like branches.

\*6- 8 inch xx Twice Transplanted......\*

\*8-10 inch xx Twice Transplanted....... 17.50

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A block of specimen Red Cedar in Hill's Nursery

THE D. HILL NURSERT CO., DUNDEE,	LLL.	Sprii	ig, 1921
Variety Cupressus arizonica (Arizona Cypress) Foliage beautiful, glaucous blue. Handsome, pyramidal growing tree. *4-6 inch o 1 vr	10	. 100 \$ 4.00	1000 \$ 30.00
Cupressus sempervirens stricta (Columnar Italian Cypress)  Native Southern Oregon, North California. Most beautiful, graceful tree green foliage. These trees are propagated from seedlings and contain several *2-4 inch o 1 yr	types.	•	,
Juniperus canadensis (See Juniperus communis depressa) page	6.		
Juniperus chinensis (Chinese Juniper) One of the very finest hardy plants in cultivation. It forms a compact, pyn height, of bright green color with glaucous prickly shoot in the spring. It ha most severe winters. It also makes one of the leading Junipers for the Sout planting conditions with remarkable ability. Its freedom from disease and gr in temperature make it a most valuable plant. Do not overlook this valuable.	s never t h as it s eat adapt Juniper.	een injure stands all ability to	d by the kinds of extremes
4-6 inch o 2 yr	•••••	7.00	60.00
6-8 inch o 2 yr 1½-2 feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	10.50	8.50	75.00
	12.50	•••••	•••••
Juniperus chinensis albovariegata (Whiteleaf Chinese Juniper) An upright grower having variegated white tips more conspicuous when out. A choice and rare variety.  *2 inch pots x Once Transplanted		growth is 20.00 40.00	s coming
Juniperus chinensis argenteo (Green) Choice and rare form. Upright habit. Good green color. 4-6 inch xx Twice Transplanted		25.00	
Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana (Pfitzer Juniper)  Fifteen years ago this remarkable tree was almost unknown, yet it is toda; mental Evergreen trees. Its great popularity is well earned. This is a Juniclimate of the South and still comes through the cold northern winters without it as it seems to be practically immune from plant pests of all kinds. If left a low, broad, irregular form. It was originated in Pfitzer's Nursery in German German nurseryman and horticulturist, introduced it into general cultivation, our original plants for propagating. By propagating our own stock from se insure our customers the true type of robust trees with the gray or blue-green  *2 inch pots x Once Transplanted, No. 1	y in the figer that a scratc lone it as any. Ludy Through lected traffoliage.	front rank thrives in h. Nothing sumes an a vig Spaeth h him we	the hot g bothers ttractive, , famous obtained
8-10 inch x Once Transplanted	16.50	150.00	
*For Fall 1926 shipment only.	10.00	100.00	••••••
For Pair 1020 Shipment Only.			

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Planting Specimen Evergreens in Hill's Nursery

100 1000 Variety

Juniperus chinensis procumbens (See Juniperus japonica) page 7.

Juniperus chinensis pyramidalis (Blue) (Column Chinese Juniper)

This is a variety introduced to cultivation by the United States Department of Agriculture, through the late F. N. Meyer. It forms a distinct, narrow pyramid with all the leaves a cicular or needle-shaped. The foliage is remarkably decorative. There are two forms—the blue and the green—which we can now furnish in good plants of the true variety. Like other forms of J. Chinensis they are very hardy and also retain their desirable color effect during the winter.

The habit of growth resembles the well known Italian Cypress. This tree offers to planters in colder climates the extreme narrow growing form of Evergreens heretofore so much desired but unfortunately not obtainable in a dependable tree. We are glad to assure any customers of the absolute hardiness and dependabilty of this excellent variety. Variety not obtainable in a dependable tree. dependability of this excellent variety. 1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B......\$15.00 Juniperus chinensis pyramidalis (Green) (Column Chinese Juniper) 1-11/2 feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B..... Juniperus chinensis sargenti (Green) (Sargent Juniper)

First collected by Professor Sargent in Japan in the autumn of 1892. This Juniper forms a low dense mat of wide-spreading branches covered with small dark green scale-like leaves, mixed with pointed ones. In the Arboretum it is now the handsomest of the prostrate Junipers. Free from attack of insects and fungus diseases. 8-10 inch x Once Transplanted...... Juniperus communis (Common Juniper) This is an upright form of the Common Juniper of Europe. It grows narrow and pyramidal and has light green foliage. It is especially desirable for planting in the southern states, but is also quite hardy and is used in other localities. 6-8 inch o 3 yr..... 5.5040.00Juniperus communis depressa (Prostrate Juniper) The well-known, valuable many stemmed Dwarf Juniper. Rarely exceeds 2 feet in height, good form of Juniper for ground cover. It is at home on sandy or gravelly hillsides fully exposed to the sun, where single plants often reach 15 feet or more in diameter. Is sometimes catalogued as Juniperus Communis which is erroneous. The name Juniperus Canadensis is also applied, which is a synonym. Grows native in various sections of the country, but we obtain our seed from Northern Wisconsin, which is the superior type. 6-8 inch o 2 yr..... 7.501-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B..... 15.00140.00 Juniperus communis depressa aurea (Golden Prostrate Juniper) The aurea type is the golden form, similar to the green type except in color. Our plants are reproduced from a carefully selected strain of plants of extra bright golden color, compact growth and of symmetrical \*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted...... 20.00Juniperus communis depressa plumosa
A recent introduction. This is a variation from Juniperus Canadensis having finer foliage. The chief characteristic is the attractive and unusual reddish purple color during the fall and winter months. Ideal for ground cover. \*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted...... Juniperus communis hibernica (Irish Juniper) Very formal in outline and invaluable in Italian gardens or where architectural features are to be strongly emphasized. Foliage glaucous green. Grows 6 to 8 feet in height and not over one and a half feet in diameter. Not hardy in the extreme north.

8-10 inch x Once Transplanted..... 15.00Juniperus communis suecica (Swedish Juniper) Similar to Irish Juniper, but more narrow in outline. Where extremely formal effects are desired the tall slender habit is very striking. Glaucous green foliage. \*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted...... Juniperus excelsa stricta (Spiny Greek Juniper)

One of the leading dwarf varieties. Very dense, narrow and conical, having a fine silvery glaucous color. Thrives in all parts of the country. Originated in an English nursery and has had wide distribution. \*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted..... 20.00 35.00 Juniperus horizontalis douglassi (Hill's Waukegan Juniper) An interesting new creeping Juniper. Very low and compact making a dense mat. Soft blue color in spring and summer, changing to a rich purple color in late fall. It grows close to the ground, not over six to eight inches high, but spreads out a dozen feet or more, depending upon soil and planting conditions. One of Hill's new introductions. The type we grow is an especially attractive form selected from the native plants. 35.00 \*For Fall 1926 shipment only.

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Juniperus japonica (Juniperus chinensis procumbens) (Japanese Juniper)

The following description is taken from a bulletin of the Arnold Arboretum, Harvard University: "This is the best known of the prostrate Junipers which Japan has sent to the gardens of the West. It is a plant with wide-spreading procumbent stems, blue-green, sharply pointed leaves marked on the upper surface by two white lines. It is perfectly hardy." Reaches from 10 to 15 feet in diameter, but can be kept smaller by trimming. It never grows over 8 to 12 inches high, but makes a rapid growth of long branches that cling to the ground. This variety can be used in almost any planting—for beds, for low borders, terraces, hillsides, and rock gardens.—as it thrives even under adverse conditions. There is considerable variance among varieties offered as Procumbens, but we are careful to propagate only from the true strain of hardy, compact growing plants we imported direct from Japan.

\*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted...... \$....... \$....... \$25.00 8-10 inch x Once Transplanted..... 40.00 10-12 inch xx Twice Transplanted, B&B.....

#### Juniperus sabina (Savin Juniper)

A low, much-branched shrub, but sometimes growing 4 to 5 feet high in the lower Alps in southern Europe. It also occurs in the Pyrenees, in Spain, and in Greece, but always as a mountain plant. Its branches are spreading, dense, much ramified, and abundantly furnished with short, straight, tufted branch-lets, which are well clothed with foliage. Its berries are blackish purple or dark violet in color, some smooth and shining, some glaucous or powdery, all of them small, round, or oval, about the size of small currants. Planted 4 to 6 feet apart, it forms an excellent border to larger Evergreens in the background. It is also desirable as a low tree in foundation groups and beds of Evergreens in general. It does well in smoky atmosphere smoky atmospheres.

\*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted...... 30.00 165.00

Juniperus sabina prostrata (See Juniperus horizontalis douglassi) page 6. Juniperus sabina pyramidalis (Pyramidal Savin Juniper)

In this form the branches grow erect, making a very attractive bush shaped tree. Foliage has the characteristic attractive green color of the Savin Juniper. Little known in the trade but a very interesting variety.

\*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted..... 20.00 

#### Juniperus sabina tamariscifolia (Tamarix Savin Juniper)

35.00

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A Section of a field of Hill's Mugho Pine, one of the best low Evergreens

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100 Juniperus sabina von ehren This is a variety of Juniper somewhat resembling Juniperus Virginiana Cannarti. It has both juvenile and adult foliage. It grows upright and rather wide spreading. It is little known, but is a very satisfactory form. \*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted......\$...... \$18.00 

Juniperus scopulorum (Hill's Silver Juniper)

This species of Juniper, native to the Black Hills, has a tendency to produce a large proportion of trees with beautiful blue foliage. At the same time it is quite variable in habit, producing many variations. Hill's Silver Juniper is narrow, compact, and symmetrical. It has one single stem, in contrast to some varieties of Junipers with several stems. This makes it safe from heavy snows and wind. The inner foliage does not turn brown, as in the Irish and Swedish Junipers, but remains a good healthy color throughout the tree.

4-6 inch o 2 yr..... 10.0090.00140.00

Juniperus sphaerica (Fortunei)

Variety

Juniperus virginiana (Redcedar)

Pyramidal habit, dark green to bluish foliage. Our stock is the hardy northern strain. One of the most useful and characteristic trees of our American landscapes, rivaling the Italian Cypress in beauty. Adapted for planting in all sections of the country. The propagation of this valuable Conifer has been a specialty with us for many years and we exercise great care in the selection of our strain of seed. Also used as an understock for grafting Junipers.

4-6 inch o 2 yr	•••••	7.00	60.00
6-8 inch o 2 yr	••••	8.50	75.00
1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	8.50	75.00	•••••
1½-2 feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	10.00	90.00	•••••

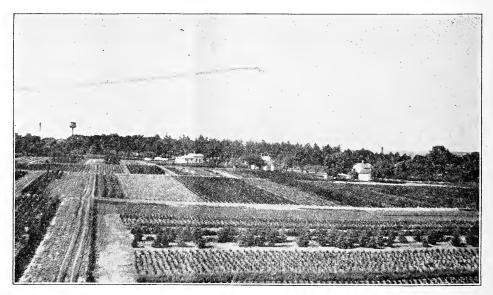
Juniperus virginiana cannarti (Cannart Redcedar)

Handsome dark green variety, with foliage of deep rich green. Upright grower reaching 15 to 20 feet Our plants are propagated by grafting selected scions of Juniperus Virginiana Cannarti on native Juniperus Virginiana root, insuring stock true to name and absolutely hardy.

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General View of Specimen Evergreens, Balled and Burlapped Sizes

Variety 100 1000 Juniperus virginiana glauca (Silver Redcedar)

In this variety, the entire young growths are of almost silvery whiteness, which changes to beautiful bluish green in winter. It never grows very large—not over 15 to 20 feet—and it can be kept even smaller if desired. This is one of the foremost among the interesting group of Junipers that have been developed from J. Virginiana (Red Cedar). We constantly strive to improve our strain by careful selection, and refrom J. Virginiana (Red Ceuar). We constantly strive to improve our strain by careful selection, and reproduce only from the best type, most true to form, color, compactness, and habits of growth. During the past few years this tree has increased in popularity until it is now found in every section of the country. It is one of the few Evergreens that grows just as well in the south as in our colder northern states. We have been unable to find the exact origin of this variety, although it is mentioned in writings of sixty years ago and is found in the English nursery catalogs of the early 70's.

Juniperus virginiana kosteri (Koster Redcedar)

Juniperus virginiana pyramidalis (Hill's Pyramidal Juniper)
This most valuable and interesting pyramidal Juniper is a product of our nursery, having been brought
out by us a few years ago. It grows dense and very columnar, closely resembling the well-known striking
habit of Italian Cypress. Summer or winter, the rich deep color is the same. The needles are of the juvenile 'whipcord" variety.

\*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted...... 20.008-10 inch x Once Transplanted...... 40.00

Larix europaea (European Larch)

We obtain our seed from Scotland where the best type is found. In spite of the objection to cones there is a strong demand for the Larch on account of its beautiful effects in early spring and in the fall when the needles turn vellow and golden.

6- 8 inch o 2 yr		3.00	20.00
8-10 inch o 3 yr		3.50	25.00
10-12 inch o 2 yr	•••••	4.00	30.00

Libocedrus decurrens (California Incense Cedar)

A tall stately tree with a narrow feathery crown, native of the Mountain Ranges from Oregon to California and Nevada. Thrives well except in the colder portions of the Northern States. Foliage dark glossy green, of a tint peculiar to the species. A grand tree and one of the most beautiful and distinct of the American Evergreens.

\*2-4 inch o 1 yr.....

Pachysandra terminalis (Japanese Spurge)

An Evergreen Vine. One of the few hardy broad-leaved Evergreens that thrives in the north. Has thick glossy green foliage which remains on the plant the entire year. Grows about six inches high. Spreads out and soon forms a dense ground cover or under planting. Also can be used as a low edging plant. Withstands temperatures 15 to 20 degrees below zero. Does well in dense shade where grass will not grow; also thrives in sunny location.

6-8 inch x Once Transplanted..... 60.00

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This field shows the third stage of development of Hill's Evergreens Such trees are twice transplanted, six years old

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Picea alba (See Picea canadensis)

The old name Picea alba (White Spruce) has been changed to Picea canadensis (White Spruce). Black Hill Spruce formerly called Picea canadensis is now Picea canadensis albertiana.

#### Picea canadensis (White Spruce)

Described by Bailey, the eminent horticulturist, as "A native of the Northern part of America. Derives the name White Spruce due to its light frosty green foliage, slightly tinged with blue. Thrives to the best advantage in the colder climates, north of Philadelphia or St. Louis." Although native throughout a wide range, the best types prevail throughout Northern Wisconsin, from where our seed is gathered from carefully selected grounds.

6- 8 inc	h o 3 yr	\$	\$ 4.50	\$ 35.00
8-10 inc	h o 3 yr		5.50	45.00
8-10 inc	h x Once Transplanted		15.00	140.00
10-12 inc	h xx Twice Transplanted		35.00	
1-1½ fee	t xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	10.00	85.00	
1½-2 fee	t xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	12.50	110.00	

#### Picea canadensis albertiana (Black Hill Spruce)

The Black Hills Spruce is hardiest of all Spruces, symmetrical, compact and bushy of growth; in fact the very smallest trees soon form round, sturdy, compact bodies. As the tree grows and develops, it continues to carry this particular style of growth and generally becomes the most compact growing specimen of the Spruce family; even in old trees the lower branches are retained thus forming a close ground-cover. Botanically, the Black Hills Spruce is considered a close relative of White Spruce, which has developed its distinct characteristics through long centuries of living in the Black Hills country of Dakota. The foliage varies from green to bluish tint, and all trees are remarkable for their bright fresh color. Black Hills Spruce was first introduced to commercial culture by Mr. D. Hill many years ago and has since become widely planted throughout the country.

4- 6 inch o 3 yr	····	5.00	40.00
6-8 inch x Once Transplanted		16.00	150.00
8-10 inch x Once Transplanted		20.00	175.00
1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B			
1½-2 feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	14.00	125.00	•••••

#### Picea engelmanni (Englemann Spruce)

The foliage of Engleman Spruce is deep blue-green. That of some trees being decidedly silvery or whitish. It grows tall, making a rather spire-like crown. As compared to the Colorado Blue Spruce the Engleman Spruce has a softer and more symmetrical appearance. It is among the hardiest and most desirable Rocky Mountain Evergreens, but it is much less known than some of the others.

4-6 inch o 3 yr	 4.50	35.00
4-6 inch x Once Transplanted	 10.00	

#### Picea excelsa (Norway Spruce)

For many years Norway Spruce has been highly appreciated because of its rapid growth, its thriftiness, and its heavy masses of deep green foliage. Some of the finest old hedges are of Norway Spruce, as the trees can readily be pruned to any desired height. On farms and around homes all over the country Norway Spruce windbreaks are giving substantial protection to stock and buildings. Norway Spruce is a tall, picturesque, and hardy tree, graceful in all its lines, and well adapted to planting over a wide range of territory. As the Norway Spruce prevails over a wide range of European territory, there are many sources from which to obtain seed. Careful experiments and close study for many years have proved to us that seed from the higher elevations insures a superior type for America, therefore, we use this seed exclusively.

4- 6 inch o 2 yr	•••••	2.50	15.00
6- 8 inch o 3 yr		3.00	17.50
8-10 inch x Once Transplanted		10.00	90.00
10-12 inch xx Twice Transplanted		15.00	140.00
12-18 inch xx Twice Transplanted		20.00	190:00

#### Picea omorica (Serbian Spruce)

We now have this variety available for the first time. The seed we obtained from Serbia at a considerable expense. The leaves are dark green and shiny. The habit of growth is dense and narrow in outline. It is a very hardy, distinct and ornamental species.

4-6 inch o 2 yr		10.00	90.00
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#### Picea polita (Tigertail Spruce)

A rare species, one of the most distinct and beautiful of the spruces, and when once seen is not apt to be forgotten or confused with any other. Though stiff in habit of growth, yet the branches being irregular of length cause the tree to be of informal outline. It does not grow rapidly and is therefore suitable for rather confined spaces. Seed is obtainable only at very rare intervals and this is an opportunity for nurserymen to obtain stock while our very limited supply lasts.

4-6 inch o 3 yr...... 12.00 .....

o-Indicates never transplanted. Suitable for bedding out.

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Picea pungens (Colorado Blue Spruce)

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A leading specialty with us. The stock offered below is nursery run, containing both blue and green trees. Our careful collection of seed from the bluest trees insures an unusual high percentage of blue trees. Many authorities agree that the selected seedling trees (compared to grafted trees) are more satisfactory, and eventually make much finer specimens. We obtain our seed from the Colorado Rockies, the blue forms being glistening silvery blue in color.

4-6 inch o 3 yr	\$	\$ 6.00	\$ 50.00
6-8 inch o 3 yr	*********	7.50	60.00
6-8 inch x Once Transplanted		16.00	150.00
8-10 inch x Once Transplanted	•••••	20.00	175.00
1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B (blue)	20.00	•••••	
1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B (green)			
1½-2 feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B (green)	12.50		

Pinus austriaca (See pinus nigra) page 12.

#### Pinus banksiana (Jack Pine)

Fast growing pine well adapted to rough gravelly and sandy locations. Not particularly recommended for ornamental use, but largely for planting on dry sandy soils and hot climates such as certain sections of Nebraska, Kansas and the Dakotas. Grows and thrives on barren soils where other trees could not live.

6-8 inch o 2	yr	 3.00	20.00
8-10 inch o 3	yr	 3.50	25.00
	nce Transplanted	12.50	

#### Pinus excelsa (Himalayan Pine)

A very ornamental large growing pine, native of the Himalayan Mountains. Five-leaved variety—under same restrictions as White Pine. Glaucous green foliage. Very slender and flexible.

4-6 inch x Once Translanted	15.00	••••
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#### Pinus montana uncinata (Large Swiss Pine)

An upright form of the Mountain Pine found growing naturally in Italy, also abundant in the Spanish Mountains. It differs from the Mugho Pine in that it has a main stem, or leader, which predominates the tree; the other branches growing closely up around it in successive lengths, forming a compact, conical-shaped Pine, broad at the base and tapering at the top.

4-6 inch o 2 yr		5.50	40.00
1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	12.50	•••••	•••••

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# SPECIAL OFFER No. 1

### Hill's Mugho Pine

(Pinus Mugho Compacta)

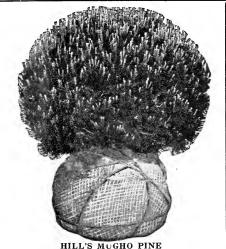
1 to 1½ Feet
BALLED AND BURLAPPED

\$1.75 each, \$15.00 per 10

This is the genuine true dwarf type, many stemmed, compact, with good dark green color, which it retains throughout the winter. The branches in the Spring tipped with the new growth, closely resemble tiny candlesticks over the entire tree.

Truly a sensational triumph in Evergreen growing. Described by an eminent horticulturist as a "marvel of rich beauty." It grows to perfection in all parts of the country and is absolutely hardy.

Hill's New Introduction



HILL'S MUGHO PINE (Pinus Mugho Compacta)

10

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#### Pinus mughus (Hill's Mugho Pine)

Our own introduction. It is the genuine true dwarf type, many stemmed, compact, with good dark green color, which it retains throughout the winter. Many inferior forms of this variety offered as Pinus Mughus, are on the market, some of which are loose, open growers and some of upright, irregular habit. The strain we offer is the true dwarf, compact type, and the seed (from the Riesenbirge Range in Silesia), is obtainable only at great expense in small quantity, because of its scarcity. Rarely grows over 3 to 6 feet high.

4- 6 inch x Once Transplanted	\$	\$12.00	\$110.00
6- 8 inch x Once Transplanted		15.00	140.00
8-10 inch xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	$9\ 00$	80.00	
10-12 inch xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	12.50	115.00	

#### Pinus nigra (Austrian Pine)

Sixty years ago Josiah Hoopes in his "Book of Evergreens" makes this reference to the qualities of Austrian Pine, and the record of over half a century bears out his observations: "We desire to advocate the claims of the Austrian Pine for planting wherever a strong hardy Evergreen is desired. In groups or for avenues in particular situations, it is one of the most desirable trees at our command. Taking into account its rapidity of growth and the certainty with which it will speedily produce an effect, owing also to the peculiar prominence of its general outline, we consider it unrivaled."

Any question as to its hardiness is disputed, in view of a report from a Canadian authority who says: "Austrian Pine is newhore the most opportant excite Pine which thrives in Canada. It is a handsome

Any question as to its hardiness is disputed, in view of a report from a Canadian authority who says: "Austrian Pine is perhaps the most ornamental exotic Pine which thrives in Canada. It is a handsome tree and makes a good lawn specimen."

Mr. C. S. Harrison, eminent Evergreen authority, says: "The Austrian Pine is a compact, symmetrical, and sturdy tree. I see one from my window which was planted in poor soil twenty-five years ago. It is a beautiful pyramid about 30 feet tall. The lower branches touch the ground."

The leaves are two in a sheath, straight and slender, from 4 to 5 inches long, and of such a deep rich green color that it is known in some parts of the world as the "Black Pine." No tree shows such remarkable resistance to the trying conditions of city planting. Coal, gas and smoky atmospheres have no effect on its growth. It is a tree equally satisfactory for seashore planting and for the inland country.

Owing to the long tap-root which Austrian Pine makes, it requires extra care in transplanting to

avoid losses.

In old trees planted in the open, the diameter of the branch-spread often nearly equals the height of the tree, but in the native forests of Austria and other parts of Europe it makes a tall tree often over 100 feet high. Annual growth has been observed to be, under favorable conditions, from 12 to 18 inches or more.

4- 6 inch o 2 yr		4.00	30.00
6- 8 inch x Once Transplanted	*********	8.00	70.00
1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	10.00	85.00	
1½-2 feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	12.50	100.00	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •

#### Pinus ponderosa scopulorum (Rocky Mountain Yellow Pine)

Sometimes called Bull Pine or Western Yellow Pine. The most widely distributed Evergreen of North America. The type found growing in the Black Hills of South Dakota, from where we obtain our seed, is a much superior type, being a hardy, free, upright grower. Very deep rooted and drought resistant. It is a handsome, ornamental tree, with interesting long needles.

4- 6 inch o 2 yr	3.00	20.00
4- 6 inch x Once Transplanted	7.00	60.00
8-10 inch x Once Transplanted		80.00
8-10 inch xx Twice Transplanted	15.00	
1½-2 feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B		

#### Pinus resinosa (Red Pine)

One of our finest native Evergreens. Formerly grew over a wide area in the northern states. In strong demand for reforestry planting. Owing to the fact that it bears seeds only once in five or six years a supply is not always available. The leaves are in pairs, dark green and shiny, four to six inches long.

4-6 inch o 2 yr		5.00	40.00
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#### Pinus strobus (White Pine)

The White Pine is the largest of all conifers native to the eastern part of the United States. The crowns of mature White Pines in mixed forests conspicuously overtop the surrounding hardwoods. It readily adapts itself to both dry and moist soils, for it is found on the poorest and driest sand, and on steep, rocky slopes, and also on moist clay flats and river bottoms. White Pine can endure considerable shade for a number of years, but as it becomes older it requires more and more light for its development. It grows rapidly and has long, flexible needles, whitish beneath.

4-6 inch o 2 yr		4.00	30.00
8-10 inch xx Twice Transplanted	•••••	15.00	140.00
1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	10.00	90.00	
1½-2 feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	12.50	115.00	

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THE D. HILL NURSERY CO., DUNDEE, ILL. **Spring**, 1927 Variety Pinus sylvestris (Scotch Pine) This well-known tree, though tall, seldom grows straight, and the branches shoot out rather obliquely. The bark is rough and cracked and the leaves are short, pungent, concave on the upper surface, convex on the under, and of a pale green color. This is the common Pine of Europe where it has been a valuable tree for timber and ornament for centuries. It is familiarly known in Scotland as "Scot's Fir." The rapidity of growth, great hardiness, and the facility with which it may be grown on almost all soils, has rendered this tree a great favorite. However, it prefers a cool, gravely subsoil that is well drained, and will then form a handsome tree. It always inclines more to the picturesque than to the beautiful. We obtain our seed from Sweden where the best form grows exactly suited to American conditions. Years of testing have shown that seed from other sources is likely to be inferior, and the trees unsatisfactory. \$ 15.00 60.009.0080.00 90.00 Pseudolarix kaempferi (Golden Larch) Very slender and pyramidal with horizontal branches. Beautiful light green foliage, changing to golden in the fall. Very desirable. This is a deciduous conifer, losing its leaves in winter. Free from cones. 4-6 inch o 2 yr..... 7.5065.006-8 inch o 2 yr..... 9.00 80.00 Pseudotsuga douglassi (Douglas Fir) Since Dr. Archibald Menzies, a ship surgeon with Van Couver's expedition, first discovered it on Vancouver Island, in the year 1791, the Douglas Fir has been known by nearly thirty specific and varietal names. It was subsequently found in 1827 by David Douglas, a Scotch explorer, and was later named in his honor. There are two distinct forms of Douglas Fir—one the dark green, gigantic-growing timber tree of the northwestern Pacific Coast area, and the other the type from Colorado. The latter variety is the one recommended, both for its hardiness and its great beauty. The typical form of young trees is an open, broad, sharp-pointed pyramid; the lower branches are straight or somewhat drooping, and the middle or higher ones trend unward higher ones trend upward. 4.0030.00 8.50 75.00Taxus canadensis (Canada Yew) A valuable dwarf Evergreen, seldom ever growing more than two to three feet above the ground. Has densely clothed dark green foliage. Particularly beautiful in autumn, when loaded with scarlet colored fruits. Thrives well in shade. Can be trimmed to any desired shape. Very hardy. Sometimes called Canadian Yew. 140.0017.50 165.0025.00Taxus cuspidata (Japanese Yew) A distinctly valuable Yew, growing 40 to 50 feet high. Under cultivation, somewhat smaller. Has been cultivated throughout Japan from time immemorial, and introduced into America many years ago, having taken its place as one of the most noteworthy and valuable on the entire list. Originating in the cold high altitudes of Northern Japan from where we obtain our seed, it is found fully able to successfully withstand extremes of heat and cold in America. Grows close, upright and compact. Foliage dark green, fruit bright scarlet. 25.00

Taxus cuspidata nana aurea

Very choice. Bright golden form of Dwarf Japanese Yew.

4-6 inch xx Twice Transplanted..... 40.00

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Variety 10 100 1000 Taxus cuspidata nana compacta This strain is one grown from the extremely compact type of Dwarf Japanese Yew. Color is very deep green and is similar to the regular Dwarf Japanese Yew except it is of slower growth and much more heavily clothed branches. 4-6 inch x Once Transplanted......\$30.00 Thuja occidentalis (American Arborvitae) The American Arbor Vitae is the mother tree from which upward of fifty distinct types have been developed, varying in color from deep green to bright golden and ranging in size from little dwarfs to tall pyramidal specimens. The native forests of Arbor Vitae long been of great commercial value for timber, producing tall, straight trunks much used for telegraph poles. The Arbor Vitae is very hardy and dependable in almost any situation. A moist location is preferred. Stands trimming well, and for this reason is widely used for hedge purposes. The rate of growth and ultimate height depend largely upon conditions. It usually grows bushy at the bottom and tapering toward the top. Foliage is very soft and flexible and of fine deep green color. Covering such a wide range in its native growths, trees from some sections are open-growing and undesirable, but we are careful to obtain our seed from certain sections of reothern Wisconsin and compact hehit of growth. northern Wisconsin, producing stock of absolute hardiness, good green color, and compact habit of growth. 9.00 80.00 20.00 190.0025.00 18-24 inch xx Twice Transplanted..... 35.00 1½-2 feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B..... 75.008.50 2 - 3feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B...... 11.50 100.00 Thuja occidentalis compacta (Parson's Compact Arborvitae) There is a considerable mixture in this variety in nurseries throughout the country, but we continue to confine our propagation to the true Parson's form originated by Parson's. It is of slow growth, broad and compact and very hardy of charming oval form. \*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted..... 12.00Thuja occidentalis douglassi aurea (Douglas Golden Arborvitae) A really valuable Golden form originated by Robert H. Douglas. A good golden color, not so bright as Peabody's, but a superior grower forming a broad bushy heavy specimen. ....... Thuja occidentalis douglassi pyramidalis (Douglas Pyramidal Arborvitae) A compact form with crowded fern-like branchlets, introduced by Robert Douglas. The branchlet tips sometimes cockscomb-like. Foliage is dark green with lighter tips. Fine pyramidal habit. Reaches a height of 12 to 15 feet. 8-10 inch x Once Transplanted..... Thuia occidentalis globosa Round, bushy and compact. Good green color, very hardy. \*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted..... 12.00 6-8 inch x Once Transplanted..... 22.50 10-12 inch xx Twice Transplanted, B&B...... 10.00 90.00 Thuja occidentalis hoveyi (Hovey Arborvitae) A semi-dwarf, compact grower. Foliage yellow green. Our stock is guaranteed true strain, which we have been growing for a great many years. \*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted...... 12.00 8-10 inch x Once Transplanted...... 20.00 10-12 inch xx Twice Transplanted..... 35.00 Thuja occidentalis (Little Gem) One of the old well known dwarf forms similar to Thuya Compacta, but smaller and finer in every respect, the branchlet sprays being about three inches long by two inches across, the whole forming a

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**Spring**, 1927 Variety 1000

Thuia occidentalis lutea (George Peabody Arborvitae)

A distinct golden type, which we have been able to improve considerably by closer selection, propagating only the brightest golden color, producing plants of exceptional merit. Rather slender in habit, reaching 12 to 15 feet high with a diameter of 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet.

	Transplanted	\$25.00	\$
*2 inch pots x O	nce Transplanted	 15.00	•

#### Thuja plicata (lobbi) (Giant Arborvitae)

A dense pyramidal grower. Branchlet systems rigid, taking an erect and parallel position like those of Thuya Orientalis.

\*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted.....

#### Thuja occidentalis pyramidalis (American Pyramidal Arborvitae)

The features desired in a Pyramidal Arbor Vitae are dense, compact growth, narrow and pyramidal form, deep rich green color at all seasons, uniform habit of each tree and hardiness to withstand conditions here in the northern states. Planters everywhere tell us that Hill's Pyramidal Arbor Vitae answers this description better than any other type. It reaches a height of 15 to 20 feet and usually measures not more than 2 feet in diameter at the base. With few exceptions, it has but one main stem, which makes it less liable to demons from colors. liable to damage from snow.

*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted	•••••	12.00	•••••
8-10 inch x Once Transplanted		25.00	•••••
1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	15.00		
1½-2 feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	17.50		
2-2½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	20.00		

#### Thuja occidentalis rosenthali (Rosenthal Arborvitae)

A broad symmetrical pyramid. The darkest green Thuya. Slow grower reaching a medium height. \*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted.....

#### Thuja occidentalis spicata alba (White Tipped Arborvitae)

One of the best of the white-tipped Arbor Vitaes. The tips of the young shoots are creamy white when the new growth first comes out in the spring.

8-10 inch xx Twice Transplanted...... 25.00

#### Thuja occidentalis wareana (Ware Arborvitae)

Raised by and named for Mr. Thomas Ware, an English nurseryman, who produced it about 1850. It matures at 6 to 8 feet. It is conical in outline and covered with dark green foliage which is somewhat different from the American Arbor Vitae, being much heavier and deeply crested. The branches are short and stiff. It is much used for foundation planting and frequently for hedges. The name Siberian has been given to it because of its rugged constitution. A symmetrical, compact grower, very long lived.

*2 inch pots x Once Transplanted	********	12.00	
6-8 inch x Once Transplanted		25.00	•••••
1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted, B&B		•••••	

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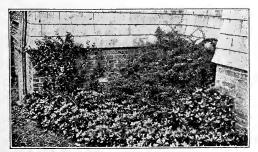
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#### PACHYSANDRA TERMINALIS

(Japanese Spurge)



Japanese Spurge as a border, Japanese Barberry in corner.

A splendid Evergreen ground cover with thick glossy foliage, forming a dense mat, making low growing cover plant, excellent for edging. Does well in dense shade. Hardy.

Is also very suitable border for shrub planting, walks and flower beds as it is a low even growth at all times and may be easily kept within bounds.

Grows about six inches high. It will grow as well in the sun as in a shady spot. Will grow equally well in moist or dry situations.

6-8 inch. Once Trans. \$7.00 \$60.00

Fall, 1926 THE D. HILL NURSERY CO., DUNDEE, ILL. Variety 100 1000 Thuja occidentalis woodwardi (Woodward Arborvitae) 25.00Thuja orientalis (Oriental Arborvitae) \*6-8 inch o 2 yr..... 4.0030.00 Thuja orientalis bonita A well named variety, Bonita meaning "pretty." A beautiful, broad cone-shaped Arbor Vitae. Rich in color and almost perfect in form. This is a great favorite in many sections. Grows rather slowly making color and almost perfect in form. This is a great later.

\*6-8 inch x Once Transplanted...... Thuja orientalis compacta Thuja orientalis pyramidalis (Orientalis Pyramidal Arborvitae)

Broad at the base, tapering to the top. Straight, symmetrical grower with bright green color. Very desirable as the high plant in Evergreen groups. Habit of growth as shown in sketch. \*6-8 inch x Once Transplanted...... 165.00Thuja orientalis texana glauca (Blue Oriental Arborvitae)

This is one of the very few soft blue foliage forms. Introduced a few years ago by a Texas nurseryman. A strong, upright pyramidal grower. It fills a need in landscape work providing contrast and giving variety to plantings of Biotas. \*4-6 inch x Once Transplanted..... 15.00 140.00

Tsuga canadensis (Canada Hemlock)
Josiah Hoopes, in his "Book of Evergreens," says: "The long, slender branches, drooping gracefully to the ground, present so beautiful a picture, it is indeed difficult to surpass it, and when we compare the rich dark green foliage of a healthy plant that is varied so exquistly with the marked glaucousness of the under side of the leaves, we must admire a tree which presents such adversity of charms. A great mistake is continually being made by planting the Hemlock in dry situations; for while it cannot thrive in wet and swampy ground, it greatly prefers a rather moist, deep loamy soil and cool location, the better if partially shaded. In such spots the beauty of the foliage and luxuriant growth speedily develop themslves in the highest degree."

The regular conical form, tapering evenly from a broad base to a long, straight, and thrifty shoot, is the common shape of this tree. As a screen or hedge the Hemlock is greatly admired as it bears the shears well, grows thriftily, and is of a dark green color and very dense. The results are most satisfactory. The Hemlock will remain small for many years if sheared, so that it can be especially recommended for foundation groups and small yards.

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In the past, many Hemlocks in American nurseries were imported from Europe, where they pagated from seed collected in America in the southern states (the Carolinas, Tennessee, etc.). When these trees were shipped to America to colder climates they produced rather inferior types of trees which often winter-scalded, turned a ragged brown, or were killed outright. The value of our strain of Hemlock is based on seed selected from northern sources only, insuring trees of hardiness and free graceful upright growth. m

4- 6 Inch x Unce Transplanted		13.50	120.00
6- 8 inch x Once Transplanted		1650	150.00
10-12 inch xx Twice Transplanted, B&B	10.00	90.00	
1-1½ feet xx Twice Transplanted		60.00	
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Tsuga canadensis pendula sargenti (Sargent Weeping Hemlock)

This is an attractive variety of weeping Hemlock which we have grafted to insure the true type. Only a limited stock available. 8-10 inch x Once Transplanted (in pots)..... 75.00

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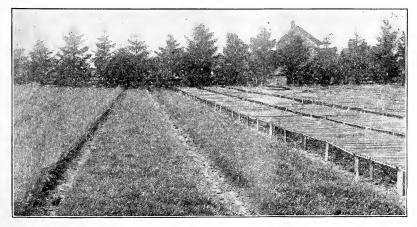
# **Evergreen Seedlings**

Suitable for Bedding Out. Strong, Thrifty, Well Graded Stock
The propagation of young Evergreens has been one of our specialties for a great many years, special
attention being given to selection of the best strains and truest types. Our soil and climate is especially
adapted to their culture. Great care is exercised in selection so that only hardy, dependable types are
produced. We recommend bedding out young Evergreens where they can be shaded and watered for a
year or two before planting out in open field rows. Plant the trees about two inches apart in the rows
and place the rows about four inches apart, so the soil can be kept loose with a hand weeder.

Variety

Inch 100 1000

Variety	Inch	100	1000
Abies arizonica (Cork Fir)	2-4	\$11.00	\$100.00
Abies homolepis (Nikko Fir)	4-6	12.50	100.00
Cedrus atlantica (Atlas Cedar)	2-4	. 8.50	75.00
Cedrus deodara (Deodar Cedar)	3 - 4	8.50	75.00
Cedrus libani (Cedar of Lebanon)	2-4	7.00	60.00
Cupressus arizonica (Arizona Cypress)	4-6	4.00	30.00
Cupressus sempervirens stricta (Columnar Italian Cypress)	2-4	4.00	30.00
Juniperus chinensis (Chinese Juniper)	4-6	7.00	60.00
Juniperus chinensis (Chinese Juniper)	6-8	8.50	75.00
Juniperus communis (Common Juniper)	6-8	5.50	40.00
Juniperus communis depressa (Prostrate Juniper)	6-8	7.50	65.00
Juniperus scopulorum (Hill's Silver Juniper)	4-6	10.00	90.00
Juniperus virginiana (Redcedar)	4-6	7.00	60.00
Juniperus virginiana (Redcedar)	6-8	8.50	75.00
Larix europaea (European Larch)	6-8	3.00	20.00
Larix europaea (European Larch)		3.50	25.00
Larix europaea (European Larch)	10-12	4.00	30.00
Libocedrus decurrens (California Incense Cedar)	2-4	3.50	25.00
Picea canadensis (White Spruce)	6-8	4.50	35.00
Picea canadensis (White Spruce)	8-10	5.50	45.00
Picea canadensis albertiana (Black Hill Spruce)	4-6	5.00	40.00
Picea engelmanni (Englemann Spruce)	4-6	4.50	35.00
Picea excelsa (Norway Spruce)	4-6	2.50	15.0€
Picea excelsa (Norway Spruce)	6-8	3.00	17.50
Picea omorica (Serbian Spruce)	4-6	10.00	90.00
Picea polita (Tigertail Spruce)	4-6	12.00	
Picea pungens (Colorado Blue Spruce)	4-6	6.00	50.00
Picea pungens (Colorado Blue Spruce)	6-8	7.50	60.00
Pinus banksiana (Jack Pine)	6-8	3.00	20.00
Pinus banksiana (Jack Pine)	8-10	3.50	25.00
Pinus montana uncinata (Large Swiss Pine)	4-6	5.50	40.00
Pinus nigra (Austrian Pine)	4-6	4.00	30.00
Pinus ponderosa scopulorum (Rocky Mountain Yellow Pine)	4-6	3.00	20.00
Pinus resinosa (Red Pine)	4-6	5.00	40.00
Pinus resinosa (Red Pine) Pinus strobus (White Pine)	4-6	4.00	30.00
Pinus sylvestris (Scotch Pine)	6-8	2.50	15.00
Pinus sylvestris (Scotch Pine)	4-6	7.50	65.00
Pseudolarix kaempferi (Golden Larch)	6-8	9.00	80.00
Thuja orientalis (Oriental Arborvitae)	4-6	3.50	25.00
Thuja orientalis (Oriental Arborvitae)	6-8	4.00	30.00
50 of the same variety and size at 100 rate, 500 at 1000 r	ate		



Section of two year old Evergreen seedling beds. The first year they are shaded as shown on the right.

# Hill's Potted Evergreens

The following are strong rooted cuttings that have been once transplanted before being potted. These plants will be shipped in clay pots, undisturbed and in the best possible condition to plant. Shipment will be made during the Fall months only. We cannot hold orders over for Spring delivery. NOTE: Weight when packed about 50 pounds per 100 trees.

Variety	100
Juniperus chinensis albovariegata (Whiteleaf Chinese Juniper) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted\$	320.00
Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana (Pfitzer Juniper) No. 1 In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	17.50
Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana (Pfitzer Juniper) No. 2 In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	15.00
Juniperus communis depressa aurea (Golden Dwarf Juniper) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	20.00
Juniperus communis depressa plumosa In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	20.00
Juniperus communis suecica (Swedish Juniper) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	15.00
Juniperus excelsa stricta (Spiny Greek Juniper) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	20.00
Juniperus japonica (chinensis procumbens) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	
Juniperus sabina (Savin Juniper) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	18.00
Juniperus sabina pyramidalis (Pyramidal Savin Juniper) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	20.00
Juniperus sabina tamariscifolia (Tamarix Savin Juniper) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	•
Juniperus sabina von ehren In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	18.00
Juniperus squamata meyeri (Meyer's Juniper) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	25.00
Juniperus virginiana kosteri (Koster Redcedar) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	
Juniperus virginiana pyramidalis (Hill's Pyramidal Juniper) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	20.00
Thuja occidentalis compacta (Parson's Arborvitae) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	12.00
Thuja occidentalis globosa In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	12.00
Thuja occidentalis hoveyi (Hovey Arborvitae) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	
Thuja occidentalis lutea (George Peabody Arborvitae) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	
Thuja occidentalis pyramidalis (Hill's Pyramidal Arborvitae) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	
Thuja occidentalis rosenthalli (Rosenthal Arborvitae) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	
Thuja occidentalis wareana (Ware Arborvitae) (Siberian) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	
Thuja occidentalis woodwardi (Woodward Arborvitae) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	
Thuja plicata (gigantea) (lobbi) In 2-inch pots, once transplanted	



Specimen Evergreen Showing Hill Method of Ball and Burlap

## Hill's Specimen Evergreens for Landscape Work

Hill's Specimen Evergreens are all perfect specimens, having gcod roots and symmetrical tops, owing to frequent transplanting, constant cultivation and root-pruning, shearing and staking. Hill's Specimen Evergreens will please your most exacting customers.

In comparing our prices with those of other growers, remember that height alone cannot by any means establish values. An Evergreen tree grown close and crowded in the row may be exactly the same height as a Hill Specimen Evergreen, but will not be as heavy, compact, symmetrical, or have as good roots.

In some localities it is impossible to dig Evergreens with a solid ball of earth on account of loose, sandy, rocky soil, which will not adhere to the roots. Our rich black prairie loam contains just enough clay to give it good texture and when interwoven with masses of fine, fibrous roots, easily holds in place. As additional protection, each earth ball is securely tied in burlap.

Constant transplanting and root-pruning gives Hill's Specimen Evergreens masses of fine, fibrous feeding roots, which together with shearing, results in heavy, bushy, symmetrical tops and insures the success of Hill's stock in the hands of the planter.

Hill's Specimen Evergreens are always worth the price you pay for the planter of the planter of the planter.

them; will never disappoint you and will be found the most economical in the long run.

Each

Abies concolor (White Fir) 

α α α 1½-2 feet xxx 3 " 25.00 2-21/2 " xxx 3 3.50 30.00  $2\frac{1}{2}-3$ xxx 3 35.00

Abies douglassi (Douglas Fir) (See Pseudotsuga douglassi) page 23. Juniperus canadensis (See Juniperus communis depressa) page 20.

 $1\frac{1}{2}-2$ xxx 330.002-21/2 " xxx 34.5040.00 $2\frac{1}{2}-3$ 66 " " 5.50 50.00 xxx 3 " 60.00  $3-3\frac{1}{2}$ xxx 3

Juniperus chinensis procumbens (See Juniperus japonica) page 20.

Juniperus chinensis pyramidalis (Blue) (Column Chinese Juniper)

This variety was introduced to cultivation by the United States Department of Agriculture, through the late F. N. Meyer. It forms a distinct, narrow pyramid with all the leaves a circular or needle-shaped. The foliage is remarkably decorative. There are two forms—the blue and the green—which we can now furnish in good plants of the true variety. Like other forms of J. Chinensis they are very hardy and also retain their desirable color effect during the winter.

The habit of growth resembles the well known Italian Cypress. This tree offers to planters in colder climates the extreme narrow growing form of Evergreens heretofore so much desired but unfortunately not obtainable in a dependable tree. We are glad to assure any customers of the absolute hardiness and dependability of this excellent variety.

dependablility of this excellent variety.

1-1½ feet xx 2 Times Transplanted, B&B..... 15.002-3 xxx 3 " " 3.5030.00 3-4 4.50 40.00 xxx 3

> Each x indicates one transplanting. B&B signifies balled and burlapped. 5 of same variety and size at 10 rate.

Fall, 1926	THE D. H	IILL NURSER	Y CO., DUNDE	E, ILL.		
Inninerus chine	Variety	lis (Green) (Co	olumn Chinese Ju	miner)	Each	10
1-1½ feet 2-3 "	xx 2 Times xxx 3 "	Transplanted,	B&B		$   \begin{array}{c}     $1.75 \\     $3.50   \end{array} $	\$15.00 30.00
which is erroneous, various sections of	n, valuable many und cover. It is reach 15 feet or The name Juniy the country, but	stemmed Dwarf Jat home on sandy more in diamete perus Canadensis i we obtain our seed	niper) Juniper. Rarely excoor gravelly hillsides r. Is sometimes cat s also applied, which from Northern Wis B&B	is a synonym. sconsin, which is	the super	ood form n, where ommunis native in rior type. 15.00 20.00
10-12 inch 1-1½ feet	ading dwarf varied in parts of the course of	thes. Very dense, intry. Originated Transplanted, 1	per) narrow and conical in an English nurse B&B	, having a finery and has had	$\frac{$1.50}{1.75}$	glaucous ribution. \$12.50 15.00 25.00
Juniperus horiz An interesting in spring and summ six to eight inches One of Hill's new in	contalis dougla new creeping Ju ner, changing to high, but spreads introductions. Th	niper. Very low a rich purple color out a dozen feet o e type we grow is	akegan Juniper) and compact, makin in late fall. It gro or more, depending u an especially attract	pon soil and plative form select	anting co ed from tl	nditions.
10-12 inch	xx 2 Times 'xx 2 "	Transplanted, 1	B&B		$1.75 \\ 2.25$	$15.00 \\ 20.00$
Juniperus japon The following "This is the best k a plant with wide- surface by two wh kept smaller by tr branches that cling borders, terraces, is derable variance true strain of hard	description is ta nown of the prost- spreading procun ite lines. It is p imming. It never to the ground. hillsides, and rock among varieties of v. compact growin	s chinensis pro- ken from a bulle trate Junipers whi- hoent stems, blue- erfectly hardy." r grows over 8 to This variety can gardens, as it the ffered as Procumb- ng plants we impo-	cumbens) (Japar tin of the Arnold & ch Japan has sent to green, sharply point Reaches from 10 to 12 inches high, but be used in almost rrives even under ac eens, but we are car orted direct from Jar	tese Juniper) Arboretum, Har the gardens of ed leaves mark 15 feet in dian makes a rapic any planting— lverse condition ful to propaga	vard Un f the We ted on the neter, but I growth or beds, s. There te only f	iversity: st. It is ne upper t can be of long for low e is con- rom the
10-12 inch 1-1½ feet	xx 2 Times xxx 3 "	Transplanted,	B&B	••••••	$\frac{1.75}{2.00}$	$15.00 \\ 17.50$
lets, which are we smooth and shining currants. Planted It is also desirable	ranched shrub, bucurs in the Pyre ling, dense, much ell clothed with f g, some glaucous 4 to 6 feet apart, as a low tree in	nt sometimes growness, in Spain, an ramified, and abundinge. Its berries or powdery, all of it forms an exceptoundation groups	ring 4 to 5 feet high din Greece, but al ndantly furnished wi s are blackish purpl them small, round, llent border to large and beds of Evergre	e or dark viole or oval, about r Evergreens in eens in general.	the size the back the does	or, some
smoky atmospheres $1-1\frac{1}{2}$ feet $1-1\frac{1}{2}$ " $1\frac{1}{2}-2$ " Juniperus sabin	xx 2 Times xxx 3 " xxx 3 "	Transplanted, " ee Juniperus h	B&B(1	00, \$165.00) assi)	2.00 2.50 3.00	$17.50 \\ 22.50 \\ 27.50$
Juniperus sabin	a pyramidalis	(Pyramidal Sa			Foliage a very	has the interest-
1½-2 feet			B		2.75	25.00
changes in color.	reeping dwarf variet when full grouls of applied to it. The orming a compact our stock is propagators.	iety. The foliage wn. Sometimes of It is said to occ and perfect mat o agated from true s	IVIN JUNIPER) is fine in texture; availled Gray Carpet Jur wild in Sicily, Gf bluish or gray-greetock from the Kew (EB	n. Grows very Gardens in Eng	one foot name Ta places. dense ar land. 2.25	with a amarisk-A very nd never 20.00
	act, very dwarf fo owdedThis form		uvenile and adult brathe ground.			
Juniperus scopu	lorum (Hill's	Silver Juniper)	zB symmetrical. It has			25.00
some varieties of J foliage does not tur $1\frac{1}{2}$ -2 feet $2$ -2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	unipers with seven to brown. This is XX 2 Times 7 XXX 3 "	ral stems. This makes a seedling form of Fransplanted, I	akes it safe from her containing both blue 3&B(19	avy snows and and green tree 00, \$140.00)	wind. Th	15.00 25.00
Ea		-	B&B signifies balled nd size at 10 rate.	and burlapped.		
We a			ee when cash acc	ompanies ord	ler.	

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Variety	Each	10
Juniperus scopulorum horizontalis hilli A selected grafted type of Juniperus Scopolorum of our own introduction. Has extr foliage and attractive horizontal branches. A striking characteristic of this tree is the fa blue color is more pronounced during hot dry weather. This tree is recommended for pla of the country.	et that th	ne cilvery
2-3 feet xxx 3 Times Transplanted, B&B	\$3.50	\$32.50
Juniperus scopulorum pyramidalis argentea hilli A new attractive bright green form. Very columnar habit. 1½-2 feet xxx 3 Times Transplanted, B&B	3.50	32.50
Juniperus scopulorum pyramidalis viridifolia hilli Another selected silvery form. Very attractive.  1½-2 feet xxx 3 Times Transplanted, B&B	3.00	27.50
Juniperus scopulorum (White Tipped Variety) When the new growth comes out, this tree makes a spectacular appearance with the color. The color darkens as the season progresses.	new tips	white in
2-3 feet xxx 3 Times Transplanted, B&B	4.00	•
Juniperus sphaerica (Fortunei)  A bushy tree with close-set, upright branches. The young shoots are slender and found dark green foliage. A hardy and desirable species, native of northern China.	our-angle	d, clothed
1½-2 feet xx 2 Times Transplanted, B&B	2.25	20.00
Juniperus virginiana (Redcedar)  Pyramidal habit, dark green to bluish foliage. Our stock is the hardy northern strain useful and characteristic trees of our American landscapes, rivaling the Italian Cypress i for planting in all sections of the country. The propagation of this valuable conifer ha with us for many years and we exercise great care in the selection of our strain of seed understock for grafting Junipers.	n beauty. is been a l. Also us	Adapted specialty sed as an
1-1½ feet xx 2 Times Transplanted, B&B	6.00	8.50 10.00 32.50 37.50 50.00 75.00
Juniperus virginiana cannarti (Cannart Redcedar)  Handsome dark green variety, with foliage of deep rich green. Upright grower reac Our plants are propagated by grafting selected scions of Juniperus Virginiana Cannarti virginiana root, insuring stock true to name and absolutely hardy.  1-1½ feet xx 2 Times Transplanted, B&B	1.75 3.50	0 20 feet. Juniperus 16.50 30.00 40.00
Juniperus virginiana glauca (Silver Redcedar)  In this variety, the entire young growths are of almost silvery whiteness, which che bluish green in winter. It never growts very large—not over 15 to 20 feet—and it can be if desired. This is one of the foremost among the interesting group of Junipers that he from J. Virginiana (Red Cedar). We constantly strive to improve our strain by careful produce only from the best type, most true to form, color, compactness, and habits of great few years this tree has increased in popularity until it is now found in every sect. It is one of the few Evergreens that grow just as well in the south as in our colder no have been unable to find the exact origin of this variety, although it is mentioned in writing ago and is found in the English nursery catalogs of the early 70's.	e kept eve ave been l selection rowth. D ion of the orthern sta ings of sa	on smaller developed a, and re- curing the country. ates. We
1-1½ feet xx 2 Times Transplanted, B&B	$\frac{3.50}{4.50}$	13.50 $30.00$ $40.00$ $50.00$

#### Juniperus virginiana pyramidaformia hilli (Hill's Dundee Juniper)

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This variety was first placed on the market two years ago and has met with instant popularity. The trees are all of compact, uniform, pyramidal habit. The color is distinct, in spring and summer the color being grayish green which changes to purple plum color as the frost comes in the fall. The original tree was selected from our own nursery several years ago and we have since then been developing a stock until we now have this variety available both in the twice transplanted and three times transplanted sizes. Reports that we have received from those who have tried it in practically all sections of the country indicate that it is adapted for planting under practically all conditions.

2-3	feet	xxx	3	Times	Transplanted.	B&B	 4.50	40.00
				"	"	"	 5.50	50.00

o-indicates never transplanted. Each x indicates one transplanting.

5 of same variety and size at 10 rate.

Fall, 1926	THE D. HIL	LNURSE	RY CO., DUNDEE, ILL.		
	iety			Each	10
This most valuable out by us a few years habit of Italian cypriuvenile or "whipcord	le and interesting ; s ago. It grows do ess. Summer or " variety.	pyramidal Ju ense and very winter, the i	yramidal Juniper) niper is a product of our nursery, y columnar, closely resembling the rich deep color is the same. The		n brought striking e of the
3-4 feet xxx 3	3 Times Trans	planted, Bé	&B	\$5.50	\$50.00
Juniperus virginia A valuable dense	ana schotti (Sc	hott Redce	dar) rather light green foliage, very he of Juniper, retaining its color all	ırdy, grows	15 to 20
2-3 feet xxx	3 Times Trans	splanted, E	8&B	3.50	30.00
Larix europaea (I	European Larch	1)	***************************************		40.00
there is a strong dem when the needles turn	ed from Scotland and for the Larch yellow and golder	on account	est type is found. In spite of th of its beautiful effects in early sp	ring and in	to cones
3-4 feet xxx 3	3 Times Trans	planted, B	&B	2.50	20.00
Picea alba (See P					
Picea canadensis of Described by Bai Derives the name Whith the best advantage in wide range, the best to carefully selected grounds.	iley, the eminent ite Spruce due to the colder climate types prevail throunds.	horticulturis its light frost s, north of Pi ighout North	t, as "A native of the Northers ty green foliage, slightly tinged with hiladelphia or St. Louis." Although ern Wisconsin, from where our se		America. hrives to oughout a red from
	x 2 Times Tra	ansplanted,	, B&B(100, \$85.00		10.00
	x 2 " x 3 "	"	(100, 110.00		$12.50 \\ 15.00$
	x 3 "	"	"		20.00
2½-3 " xx	x 3 "	"	"	~	22.50
3-4 " xx	x 3 "	"	"	0 = 0	30.00
of the Spruce family; Botanically, the Black distinct characteristics varies from green to	even in old trees even in old trees Hills Spruce is co through long cen bluish tint, and a duced to commerce	growth and g the lower bra onsidered a c turies of livi all trees are	s, symmetrical, compact and bushy mact bodies. As the tree grows a generally becomes the most compacunches are retained thus forming lose relative of White Spruce, whing in the Black Hills country of I remarkable for their bright freshy Mr. D. Hill many years ago ar	et growing close grou ch has deve Dakota. Th color. Bla	specimen nd-cover. eloped its e foliage ack Hills
1-1½ feet x	x 2 Times Tra	ansplanted,	B&B(100, \$110.00	) 1.25	11.50
1½-2 " x:	x 2 "	"	"(100, 125.00	) 150	14.00
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2-5 XX	x 3 " x 3 "	"		150	$\frac{25.00}{40.00}$
	x 3 "	"	"		50.00
Picea pungens gla Many authorities a and eventually make n	agree that the sele	cted seedling ns. We obta	trees (compared to grafted trees) a in our seed from the Colorado Roc	re more sati kies, the bl	isfactory, ue forms
1-1½ feet x	x 2 Times Tra	nsplanted,	B&B	2.25	20.00
3-4 " xxx		"	"		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
4-5 " xxx	x 4 "	•	"	20.00	••••••
Picea pungens (Co					
		nsplanted,	B&B		10 00
1 ½ - 4 X.	X 4	"	***************************************		12.50
1½-2 " xx: Pinus austriaca (S	хэ	) page 23.	**	1.75	15.00
color, which it retains are on the market, son we offer is the true dv able only at great exp 8-10 inch xx 10-12 " x: 1-1½ feet xx:	cion. It is the gen throughout the wi ne of which are lowerf, compact type ense in small quar x 2 Times Tran x 2 " x 3 "	nuine true dw nter. Many i ose, open gro e, and the see ntity, because nsplanted, "	arf type, many stemmed, compact, nferior forms of this variety offere wers and some of upright, irregulad (from the Riesenbirge Range in of its scarcity. Rarely grows 0.8&B	d as Pinus ir habit. The Silesia), is er 3 to 6 fo ) 1.00 ) 1.50 1.75	Mughus, he strain s obtain- eet high. 9.00 12.50 15.00
1½-2 " xx:	x 3 "	"		2.25	20.00

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5 of same variety and size at 10 rate.

Pinus nigra (Austrian Pine)

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Sixty years ago Josiah Hoopes in his "Book of Evergreens" makes this reference to the qualities of Austrian Pine, and the record of over half a century bears out his observations: "We desire to advocate the claims of the Austrian Pine for planting wherever a strong hardy Evergreen is desired. In groups or for avenues in particular situations, it is one of the most desirable trees at our command. Taking into account its rapidity of growth and the certainty with which it will speedily produce an effect, owing also to the peculiar prominence of its general outline, we consider it unrivaled."

Any question as to its hardiness is disputed, in view of a report from a Canadian authority who says: "Austrian Pine is perhaps the most ornamental exotic Pine which thrives in Canada. It is a handsome tree and makes a good lawn specimen."

Mr. C. S. Harrison, eminent Evergreen authority says: "The Austrian Pine is a say of the sa

tree and makes a good lawn specimen."

Mr. C. S. Harrison, eminent Evergreen authority, says: "The Austrian Pine is a compact, symmetrical, and sturdy tree. I see one from my window which was planted in poor soil twenty-five years ago. It is a beautiful pyramid about 30 feet tall. The lower branches touch the ground."

The leaves are two in a sheath, straight and slender, from 4 to 5 inches long, and of such a deep rich green color that it is known in some parts of the world as the "Black Pine." No tree shows such remarkable resistance to the trying conditions of city planting. Coal, gas and smoky atmospheres have no effect on its growth. It is a tree equally satisfactory for seashore planting and for the inland country.

Owing to the long tap-root which Austrian Pine makes, it requires extra care in transplanting to avoid losses.

avoid losses.

In old trees planted in the open, the diameter of the branch-spread often nearly equals the height of the tree, but in the nativ forests of Austria and other parts of Europe, it makes a tall tree often over 100 feet high. Annual growth has been observed to be, under favorable conditions, from 12 to 18 inches or more.

1-11/2	feet	XX	2	Times	Transplanted,	B&B.	(100, \$85.00	\$1.25	\$10.00
$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	"	XX	2	"	- "	"	(100, 100.00)	1.50	12.50
2-21/2	"	xxx	3	"	"	"	***************************************	2.50	20.00
21/2-3	"	xxx	3	"	"	"		2.75	22.50

#### Pinus ponderosa scopulorum (Rocky Mountain Yellow Pine)

Sometimes called Bull Pine or Western Yellow Pine. The most widely distributed Evergreen of North America. The type found growing in the Black Hills of South Dakota, from where we obtain our seed, is a much superior tree, being a hardy, free, upright grower. Very deep rooted and drought resistant. It is a handsome, ornamental tree, with interesting long needles.

12.50

#### Pinus strobus (White Pine)

The White Pine is the largest of all conifers native to the eastern part of the United States. The crowns of mature White Pines in mixed forests conspicuously overtop the surrounding hardwoods. It readily adapts itself to both dry and moist soils, for it is found on the poorest and driest sand, and on steep, rocky slopes, and also on moist clay flats and river bottoms. White Pine can endure considerable shade for a number of years, but as it becomes older it requires more and more light for its development. It grows rapidly and has long, flexible needles, whitish beneath.

1_11	foot	vv	Þ	Times	Trangalanted	R& F	3(100, \$90.0	0) 1.25	10.00
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± /2 =	"	XX	4	"	"	66	(100, 115.0	3.25	
3-4	"	XXX	3	"		"	•••••		27.50
5-6		$\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}$	3		••			5.25	45.00
6-7	"	XXX	3	"	"	"		7.50	*******

#### Pinus sylvestris (Scotch Pine)

This well-known tree, though tall, seldom grows straight, and the branches shoot out rather obliquely. This well-known tree, though tall, seldom grows straight, and the branches shoot out rather obliquely. The bark is rough and cracked and the leaves are short, pungent, concave on the upper surface, convex on the under, and of a pale green color. This is the common Pine of Europe where it has been a valuable tree for timber and ornament for centuries. It is familiarly known in Scotland as "Scot's Fir." The rapidity of growth, great hardiness, and the facility with which it may be grown on almost all soils, has rendered this tree a great favorite. However, it prefers a cool, gravelly subsoil that is well drained, and will then form a handsome tree. It always inclines more to the picturesque than to the beautiful. We obtain our seed from Sweden where the best form grows exactly suited to American conditions. Years of testing have shown that seed from other sources is likely to be inferior, and the trees unsatisfactory.

1-11/2	feet	xx	2	Times	Transplanted,	B&E	3(100, \$90.00)	1.25	10.00
$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	"	$\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}$	2	"	- "	"	(100, 115.00)	1.50	12.50
$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	"	xxx	3	"	"	"	(100, 140.00)	1.75	15.00
2-3	"	XXX	3	"	"	"		2.00	17.50
3-4	"	xxx	3	"	"	"		3.00	

Pseudotsuga douglassi (Douglas Fir)

Since Dr. Archibald Menzies, a ship surgeon with Van Couver's expedition, first discovered it on Vancouver Island, in the year 1791, the Douglas Fir has been known by nearly thirty specific and varietal names. It was subsequently found in 1827 by David Douglas, a Scotch explorer, and was later named in his honor. There are two distinct forms of Douglas Fir—one the dark green, gigantic-growing timber tree of the northwestern Pacific Coast area, and the other the type from Colorado. The latter variety is the one recommended, both for its hardiness and its great beauty. The typeial form of young trees is an open, broad, sharp-pointed pyramid; the lower branches are straight or somewhat drooping, and the middle or higher ones trend unward.

broad, starp-pointed pyramid; the lovel branches are statight of the property of the lovel branches are statighted.

Our plants are the type from northern Colorado, the seed being collected in deep gorges of high altitudes, where the blue and silvery foliage is characteristic. The growth is compact and symmetrical with rather short needles, in contrast to southern Colorado and New Mexico types which are of doubtful hardiness, irregular, and open growing. By personally supervising the collection of seed we grow only the

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5 of same variety and size at 10 rate.

Each

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Variety

Pseudotsuga douglasi (Douglas Fi			Each	10
	r) (Contir	nued from page 23)		
Pseudotsuga douglasi (Douglas Firgenuine Colorado type, and can assure o color and habit of growth—a tree that is It reaches 60 feet or more in height, w thrives well in almost any situation. Plan 1-1½ feet xx 2 Times Trans	ur customer	s that the trees from our nursery	are supe	erior in
It reaches 60 feet or more in height, w	widely approint	of branches 12 to 18 feet. It is a	rapid grov	wer and
thrives well in almost any situation. Plan	t with plent	ty of room for future development.	apia gio	· cr dia
1-1½ feet xx 2 Times Trans	planted.	B&B(100, \$75.00)	1.00	8.50
2-3 " xxx 3 "	"	"	2.25	17.50
3-4 " xxx 3 "	"	"	3.25	27.50
2-3 " xxxx 4 "	"	"	3.00	25.00
3-4 " xxxx 4 "	"		3.50	30.00
0-4	"			42.50
4-5 " xxxx 4 "			4.75	42.00
Taxus cuspidata (Japanese Yew) A distinctly valuable Yew, growing 40 cultivated throughout Japan from time in taken its place as one of the most notewor altitudes of Northern Japan from where w extremes of heat and cold in America. Gr scarlet.	ows close, u	r seed, it is found fully able to succe pright and compact. Foliage dark g	reen, frui	t bright
$1-1\frac{1}{2}$ feet xx 2 Times Trans $1\frac{1}{2}-2$ " xx 2 "	splanted,	B&B	$\frac{1.75}{2.25}$	$\begin{array}{c} 15.00 \\ 20.00 \end{array}$
m				
Taxus cuspidata nana (Dwarf Japa		•		
Similar to Taxus Cuspidata, but is ve bunches of black green foliage. Of irregu and 5 or more feet wide. Absolutely har winter, which added to its other points of	lar and pict	uresque cutline, ultimately becoming	: 2 to 3 fe	eet high
10-12 inch xxx 3 Times Tran	splanted.	B&B	2.25	20.00
1-1½ " xxx 3 "	·" ,	"	3.25	30.00
		,		
Thuja occidentalis (American Arbo	orvitae)			
The American Arbor Vitae is the modeveloped, varying in color from deep grall pyramidal specimens. The native for timber producing tall straight trusper	other tree fi een to bright ests of Ark	rom which upward of fifty distinct the golden and ranging in size from our Vitae have long been of great for telegraph poles. The Arbor Vi- tion is preferred. Stands trimming	types ha little dy commerica tae is ver well, and	ve been varfs to al value y hardy for this
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THE D. HILL NURSERY CO., DUNDEE, ILL. **Spring**, 1927 Variety Each Thuja occidentalis woodwardi (Woodward Arborvitae) 18x18xxx 3 Tsuga canadensis (Canada Hemlock)

Josiah Hoopes, in his "Book of Evergreens," says: "The long, slender branches, drooping gracefully to the ground, present so beautiful a picture, it is indeed difficult to surpass it, and when we compare the rich dark green foliage of a healthy plant that is varied so exquisitely with the marked glaucousness of the under side of the leaves, we must admire a tree which presents such adversity of charms. A great mistake is continually being made by planting the Hemlock in dry situations; for while it cannot thrive in wet and swampy ground, it greatly prefers a rather moist, deep loamy soil and cool location, the better if partially shaded. In such spots the beauty of the foliage and luxuriant growth speedily develop themselves in the highest degree."

The regular conoical form, tapering evenly from a broad base to a long straight and thrifty check is The regular conical form, tapering evenly from a broad base to a long, straight, and thrifty shoot, the common shape of this tree. As a screen or hedge the Hemlock is greatly admired as it bears the shears well, grows thriftily, and is of a dark green color and very dense. The results are most satisfactory. The Hemlock will remain small for many years if sheared, so that it can be especially recommended for The Hemlock will remain small for many years it sneared, so that it can be especially recommended for foundation groups and small yards.

In the past, many Hemlocks in American nurseries were imported from Europe, where they were propagated from seed collected in America in the southern states (the Carolinas, Tennessee, etc.). When these trees were shipped to America to colder climates they produced rather inferior types of trees which often winter-scalded, turned a ragged brown, or were killed outright. The value of our strain of Hemlock is based on seed selected from northern sources only, insuring trees of hardiness and free graceful upright growth. 10-12 inch xx 2 Times Transplanted, B&B.....(100, \$90.00) 1.2510.00 1½-2 feet xxx 3 " "  $20 \ 00$ 2.25  $2-2\frac{1}{2}$ xxx 3 2.75 22.50 " 3.75  $2\frac{1}{2}-3$ xxx 3 32.50 3-31/2 xxx 3 40.00 **Deciduous Lining Out Stock** Variety 100 1000 or platanoides (Norway Manla)

Acer platanoides (Norway Maple)		
We grow the compact, hardy type from northern seed. This is one of the best of all	street	trees and
shade trees.		,
6- 8 inch o 2 yr	\$3.50	\$25.00
8-10 " o 3 yr	5.00	40.00
10.19 " - 2	6.00	50.00
10-12 " o 3 yr	0.00	50.00
Acer saccharum (Hard or Sugar Maple)		
Large stately, upright tree of dense habit, thriving in almost any soil. Valuable autumn colors and for its wide use as a street and lawn tree.		
8-10 inch o 2 yr	350	25.00
10-12 " o 2 yr	5.00	40.00
	0.00	10.00
Aucuba japonica (Green) (Japanese Aucuba)		
A medium sized evergreen shrub with dark glossy green leaves, unaffected by smoke a scarlet. Not hardy in northern states.	ınd dust	. Berries
4-6 inch x Once Transplanted	12.00	
6-8 inch x Once Transplanted	15.00	
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Aucuba japonica variegata (Goldust Aucuba)		
Same habit as the green type except has attractive variegated foliage. Very ornaments	-01	
4-6 inch x Once Transplanted		
4-0 inch x Once Transplanted	19.00	•••••
Berberis thunbergi (Japanese Barberry)		
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10-12 inch xx Twice Transplanted		65.00
12-18 " xx " "	8.50	75.00
18-24 " xx " "	10.00	90.00
Betula alba (European White Birch)		

o 3 yr. ..... Each x indicates one transplanting. B&B signifies balled and burlapped. 5 of same variety and size at 10 rate.

6-8 inch o 2 yr. ....

We grow this variety principally for understocks.

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Fall, 1926	THE D. HILL NURSERY CO., DUNDEE, ILL.		
Vari		100	1000
	cantha (English Hawthorn) al understock for budding as it has no thorns. It produces single w I rapid grower. Also suitable for hedges.	hite flow	ers, very
4-6 inch o 6-8 " o	1 yr	$\frac{3.00}{3.50}$	$20.00 \\ 25.00$
Crataegus pund This is the largoften a tree 30 fee vated, is peculiar i flowers with yellow those with yellow	etata (Dotted Hawthorn) gest and most widely generally distributed of the species in the eastern t tall. This species, which has been known for more than a century a n the fact that some individuals have flowers with rose colored anther w anthers, and that the plants with the rose colored anthers produce anthers produce yellow fruit.	s and oth	
	o 2 yr.	5.00	40.0
Also known as	olium (Oregon Holly Grape)  Holly-leaved Barberry. Small spiny toothed leaves of dark lustrous graish hue. In the winter has blue or nearly black berries.	een whic	h chang
4-6 inch o 6-8 " o	2 yr	$\frac{3.50}{4.00}$	$\frac{25.0}{30.0}$
An Evergreen thick glossy green Spreads out and s plant. Withstands not grow; also thr	erminalis (Japanese Spurge)  Vine. One of the few hardy broad-leaved Evergreens that thrives in foliage which remains on the plant the entire year. Grows about noon forms a dense ground cover or under planting. Also can be used temperatures of 15 to 20 degrees below zero. Does well in dense shad ives in sunny location.  Once Transplanted	six incl las a lo le where	hes high
Photinia villosa Glowing rich r most conspicuous s smother this tree-l	(Chinese Xmas Berry) red and orange colored foliage makes the Chinese Christmas Berry (Ph hrub in October and early November. Flat-topped clusters of small ha ike shrub in June. The one-third inch long, oval, bright scarlet fruits	otina Vil wthorn-li hang on	llosa) th ke bloom till afte
6- 8 inch 8-10 "	o 2 yr.	$\frac{6.00}{7.00}$	\$50.0 60.0
Small tree wit	ria (European Mountain Ash) h a symmetrical round top crown. Native of Europe and Asia. Flower f bright red berries, very showy.	ers white,	, followe
10-12 inch	o 2 yr	$\frac{6.00}{7.00}$	$\begin{array}{c} 50.0 \\ 60.0 \end{array}$
	is (Common Lilac) miliar purple or "common" Lilac. Blooms in May. Grows 8 to 20 fe ted will be found suitable for budding or grafting.	et. Whe	re hybri
	o 3 yr	3.50	25.0 $35.0$ $45.0$
The white for lected ourselves to	is alba (Common White Lilac) m is always in good demand. These seedlings are grown from seed w insure the plants being true to color.	hich we	have co
4-6 inch o 6-8 " o	2 yr	$\frac{5.00}{6.00}$	$\frac{40.0}{50.0}$
A large tree w	(European Red Twig Linden) with spreading branches forming a symmetrical round-topped crown. Le ig in autumn with tones of yellow and brown.	eaves hea	rt-shape
	0 2 yr	$5.00 \\ 6.00 \\ 7.00$	40.0 50.0 60.0
A handsome f Japan. Leaves br	catum (Linden Viburnum) deriferous shrub with upright branches, attaining a height of 8 to 1 oadly ovate, with coarsely toothed margins, bright green. Flowers pur in late spring or early summer. Berries scarlet, persisting a long timele.	0 feet. ? re white, e on the	Native of in broad branche
	2 yr	5.00	40.0
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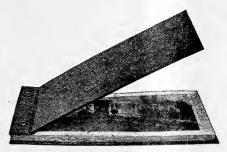
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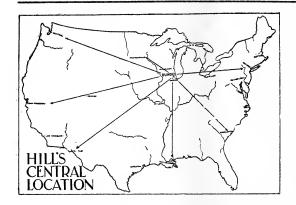
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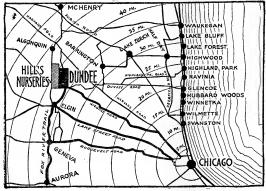
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